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FLOWER FORMATION IN PLANTS

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Hon. Assistant Commissioner  
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Washington, D.C. 20231

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Sir:

Transmitted herewith: [x] a Supplemental Preliminary Amendment and Reply to Office Action (with copy of Notice To Comply); [x] Substitute Sequence Listing Pages 52-67; [x] a CRF copy of the Sequence Listing; [X] Statement Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.825(a) and (b); [x ] a Petition for Extension of Time; to be filed in the above-identified patent application.

FEE FOR ADDITIONAL CLAIMS

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INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	-	** =	X \$82 = \$
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